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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL**(Only for new nonprovisional applications under
37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

706767US1

First Inventor or
Application IdentifierFred D. Reed, Andrew Gillen, Robert P. Hennessee
and David M. Zedan

Title Single Knob Multifunction Controller and Display Unit

Express Mail Label No.

EV026310217US as deposited on: 1/29/2004

APPLICATION ELEMENTSSee MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent
application contents.

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1. X *Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)5. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)2. X Specification [Total Pages 10]6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(If applicable, all necessary)

- (preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed Sponsored R&D
- Reference to Microfiche Appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claims(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure

a. Computer Readable Copyb. Paper Copy (Identical to computer copy)c. Statement verifying identity of above copies2A. Preliminary Amendment: Please insert the following
sentence prior to the first line of the specification of the application:
This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application
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- a. X unsigned
- b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63 (d))
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)

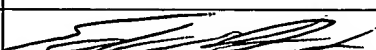
Named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R.

§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33 (b).

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APPLICATION IS RELIED UPON (37 C.F.R. § 1.28).****ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**7. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))8. 37 C.F.R. § 3.37(b) Statement Power of
(when there is an assignee) Attorney9. English Translation Document (if applicable)10. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations11. Preliminary Amendment12. X Return Receipt Postcard MPEP 503)13. Statement (s) Statement filed in prior
(PTO/SB/09-12) application, Status still proper
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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| First Named Inventor | Fred Reed |
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------|
| 1001 | 770 | 2001 | 385 | Utility filing fee | 770 |
| 1002 | 340 | 2002 | 170 | Design filing fee | |
| 1003 | 530 | 2003 | 265 | Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 770 | 2004 | 385 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |
| SUBTOTAL (1) | | | | | 770 |

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | Extra Claim | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|--------------------|-------------|----------------|----------|
| 13 | -20** = 0 | X 0 | = 0 |
| Independent Claims | 3 | - 3** = 0 | X 0 = 0 |
| Multiple Dependent | | 290 | = 0 |

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 1201 | 86 | 2201 | 43 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 1203 | 290 | 2203 | 145 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid |
| 1204 | 86 | 2204 | 43 | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 | 9 | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Entity Fee Code | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|----------|
| 105 | 130 | 205 | 65 | Surcharge-late filing fee or oath | |
| 127 | 50 | 227 | 25 | Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | |
| 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 147 | 2,520 | 147 | 2,520 | For filing a request for examination | |
| 112 | 920* | 112 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action | |
| 113 | 1,840* | 113 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 115 | 110 | 215 | 55 | Extension for reply within first month | |
| 116 | 390 | 216 | 195 | Extension for reply within second month | |
| 117 | 890 | 217 | 445 | Extension for reply within third month | |
| 118 | 1,390 | 218 | 695 | Extension for reply within fourth month | |
| 128 | 1,890 | 228 | 945 | Extension for reply within fifth month | |
| 119 | 310 | 219 | 155 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 120 | 310 | 220 | 155 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 121 | 270 | 221 | 135 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 140 | 110 | 240 | 55 | Petition to revive – unavoidable | |
| 141 | 1,240 | 241 | 620 | Petition to revive – unintentional | |
| 142 | 1,240 | 242 | 620 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 143 | 440 | 243 | 220 | Design issue fee | |
| 144 | 600 | 244 | 300 | Plant issue fee | |
| 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 123 | 50 | 123 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 126 | 180 | 126 | 180 | Submission of Information Discl. Stmt. | |
| 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | Recording of each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | |
| 146 | 710 | 246 | 355 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 149 | 710 | 249 | 355 | For each additional invention to be examined (34 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| Other fee (specify) _____ | | | | | |
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